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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Shuji GOTO, et al ^{2002 MAY 8 PM 2:23} OLD DOCKET NO.: P99,2486
NEW DOCKET NO.: 09792909-4468
SERIAL NO.: 09/504,813 ^{US PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE} GROUP ART UNIT: 1745
DATE FILED: February 16, 2000 EXAMINER: J. CREPEAU
INVENTION: "SOLID ELECTROLYTE BATTERY AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR"

REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 CFR 1.26

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attorney Customer Number: 026263

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On January 9, 2002, SONNENSCHN NATH & ROSENTHAL Account No. 19-3140 was charged \$110.00 for a one month extension of time fee (Fee Code 115). Applicant asserts that the USPTO's charge of \$110.00 against Deposit Account No. 19-3140 was in error.

On November 15, 2001, Applicant filed Response "B" to the August 20, 2001 Nonfinal Office Action. The certificate of mailing on Response "B", the transmittal letter and postcard certify that the response was timely filed (Exhibit A). No extension of time fee was necessary.

Accordingly, Applicant requests a refund of \$110.00 overpayment as permitted by 37 CFR 1.26.

Please credit the \$110.00 overpayment to account No. 19-3140 and indicate the reason for the credit as "Refund For 09792909-4468."

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: April 24, 2002

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